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OF

HENRY WRIGHT.

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COUGH DROPS.

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WRIGHT'S SPECIFICATION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, HENRY WRIGHT, of the Parish of Saint Michael's, in the City of London, Chymist, sendeth greeting.

WHEREAS His most Excellent Majesty King George the Third, by His Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Great Britain, bearing date at Westminster, the Eleventh day of December, in the first year of His said Majesty's reign, reciting that the said Henry Wright had, by great study, application, and expence in trying experiments, found out and invented "A NEW MEDICINE WHICH HE CALLS CARYOPHILIUS REGIUS, OR ROYAL CLOVE DROPS, WHICH ARE OF THE MOST EFFICACIOUS NATURE IN THE CURE OF PAINS IN THE STOMACH, SHORTNESS OF BREATH, COUGHS, HOOPING COUGHS, COLD CHILLS, FITTS, AND THE WORST SYMPTOMS OF CONSUMPTIONS, THE SAME BEING FOUND TO BE SUPERIOR TO ANY MEDICINE YET DISCOVERED FOR THE ABOVE DISORDERS," His said Majesty did give and grant unto the said Henry Wright, his executors, administrators, and assigns, His special licence that the said Henry Wright, during the term of fourteen years therein expressed, should and lawfully might use, exercise, and vend, within England, Wales, and the Town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, his said new Invention; in which said recited Letters Patent there is contained a proviso obliging the said Henry Wright, by writing under his hand and seal, to cause a particular description of the use of the said Invention, and in what manner the same is to be prepared, to be inrolled in His Majesty High



*Wright's Cough Drops.*

Court of Chancery within four calendar months after the date of the said recited Letters Patent, as in and by the said recited Letters Patent, relation being thereunto had, will appear.

**NOW KNOW YE**, that in compliance with the said proviso, the said Henry Wright doth hereby describe and ascertain the nature of his said 5 Invention, and the manner in which the same is to be prepared, as follows (to wit) :—

Rad. angl. hyspa, one pound and an half; rad. enulæ camp., one pound and an half; bacce juniper, one pound and an half; gum benjon, six ounces; rad. glyci, one pound and an half; gum camphor, three ounces; opium thebe, 10 one ounce and an half; reasons stoned, two pound; and sp<sup>t</sup> veni rect, six gallons.

In witness whereof, the said Henry Wright hath hereunto set his hand and seal, the Twenty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and sixty-one.

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HENRY (L.S.) WRIGHT.

Sealed and delivered (being first duly stamp) in the presence of

GEO. HILL.

H. ADAMS.

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**AND BE IT REMEMBRED**, that on the Twenty-first day of March, in the first year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, the aforesaid Henry Wright came before our said Lord the King in His Chancery, and acknowledged the Writing aforesaid, and every matter and thing therein contained, in form above said. And the said Writing was 25 stamp according to the Statute made in the sixth year of the reign of King William and Queen Mary of England, and so forth.

T. HARRIS.

Inrolled the Twenty-first day of March, in the first year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, 1761.

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